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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R.  $\S1.53$ (b) is the patent application of

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For: PROGRAMMING STATION GENERATING A COMPACTED PROGRAM AND AUTOMATION EQUIPMENT USING SUCH A PROGRAM

## Enclosed are:

- [X] Application Data Sheet.
- [X] Three (3) sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1-4.
- [X] An Assignment of the invention to SCHNEIDER AUTOMATION.
- [X] Certified copy of French application No. 01 02303.
- [X] A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- [X] This application is not entitled to small entity status.
- [X] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- [X] An Information Disclosure Statement.
- [] The Verified English-Language Translation, executed Declaration and Assignment and full filing fees will follow in due course.

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